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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Soppet et al.

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For: G-Protein Parathyroid Hormone Receptor HLTDG74 Attorney Docket No.: PF2018

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner
For Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to examining the captioned Continuing Prosecution Application please enter the following amendments.

Please amend the specification and claims application as follows:

In the Specification:

Please replace the title with the following title: --Polynucleotides Encoding G-Protein Parathyroid Hormone Receptor HLTDG74 Polypeptides--

On page 7, line 12, please replace "12301 Parklawn Drive, Rockville, MD 20852" with -- 10801 University Boulevard, Manassas, VA 20110-2209--.

In the Claims:

Please cancel claims 21-41 without prejudice and replace them with new claims 42-67 presented immediately below.

42. An isolated polynucleotide comprising a nucleic acid sequence selected from the group consisting of:

(a) a nucleic acid sequence encoding the polypeptide set forth as amino acid residues 1 to 541 of SEQ ID NO:2;

(b) a nucleic acid sequence encoding the polypeptide set forth as amino acid residues 2 to 541 of SEQ ID NO:2;

(c) a nucleic acid sequence encoding at least 30 contiguous amino acid residues of SEQ ID NO:2; and

(d) a nucleic acid sequence complementary to the nucleic acid sequence of (a), (b) or (c).

43. The isolated polynucleotide of claim *42* wherein the nucleic acid sequence is (a).

44. The isolated polynucleotide of claim *42* wherein the nucleic acid sequence is (b).

45. The isolated polynucleotide of claim *44* wherein the nucleic acid sequence is shown as nucleotides 93 to 1712 in SEQ ID NO:1.

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